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IN RE PATENT APPLICATION OF: JOHN C. HERMANSEN ET AL.

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ART UNIT: 2172 CONFIRMATION NO.: 1175

EXAMINER: JOON HWANG

FOR: SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR ADAPTIVE MULTI-CULTURAL SEARCHING AND MATCHING OF PERSONAL NAMES

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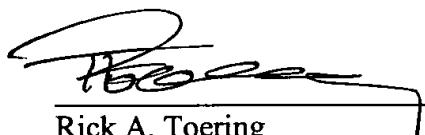
1. Three-month Petition for Extension of Time (in duplicate);
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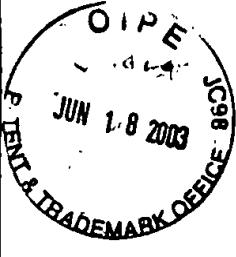
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AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL LETTER

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Applicant: John C. HERMANSEN, et al.

Invention: **SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR ADAPTIVE MULTI-CULTURAL SEARCHING AND MATCHING OF PERSONAL NAMES**

TO THE ASSISTANT COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS

Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

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Total Claims	23	- 20 =	3	x \$18.00	\$54.00
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